

Amendment No. 2 to HB1892

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1715*

House Bill No. 1892

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 17-2-208, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and by adding the following new subsection (b):

(b) In counties having a population of not less than fourteen thousand five hundred (14,500) nor more than fourteen thousand six hundred (14,600) according to the federal census of 2000, or any subsequent federal census, the judges of the court of general sessions shall be authorized, upon request, to sit by interchange with any circuit, criminal or any other court of general jurisdiction in matters of both law and equity, provided the general sessions judge sitting by interchange shall have the same qualifications required of the trial court judge for whom the general sessions judge sits.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring it.